



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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Kaname MIWA, et al.

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For: SENSOR ELEMENT AND GAS SENSOR

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**EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

A RCE and Preliminary Amendment is being filed concurrently herewith. A check for the statutory fee of \$84.00 is attached, for presentation of one (1) additional independent claim (new claim 36). Please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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